## IN THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-270 (canceled)

271. (previously presented) A method of treating or preventing an ophthalmologic disorder in a subject comprising administering to a subject a pharmaceutically acceptable amount of fenretinide or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

- 272. (**previously presented**) The method of claim 271, wherein fenretinide inhibits, antagonizes, or short-circuits the visual cycle at a step of the visual cycle that occurs outside a disc of a rod photoreceptor cell.
- 273. (previously presented) The method of claim 271, wherein the ophthalmologic disorder is macular degeneration.
- 274. (previously presented) The method of claim 271, wherein the ophthalmologic disorder is Stargardt's disease.
- 275. (previously presented) The method of claim 271, wherein the ophthalmologic disorder is lipofuscin accumulation.
- 276. (**previously presented**) The method of claim 271, wherein fenretinide increases the rate at which 11-cis-retinal is isomerized to all-trans-retinal; inhibits, antagonizes, or short-circuits the visual cycle in the retinal pigment epithelium; inhibits at least one of lecithin retinol acyl transferase, isomerohydrolase, and 11-cis-retinol dehydrogenase, or inhibits binding to RPE65.
- 277. (previously presented) The method of claim 271, wherein a second drug different from the first drug is used in the preparation of the medicament.
- 278. (previously presented) The method of claim 277, wherein the second drug inhibits, antagonizes, or short-circuits the visual cycle at a step of the visual cycle that occurs outside a disc of a rod photoreceptor cell.
- 279. (previously presented) The method of claim 277, wherein both fenretinide and the second drug inhibit or antagonize a step of the visual cycle that occurs outside a disc of a rod photoreceptor cell.

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